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### **SILVER REVOLVER BANDIT**

RIVERSIDE, CA – On December 5, 2018, at approximately 11:36PM, the Riverside Public Safety Communications Center received several calls regarding an armed robbery involving a possible gunshot victim at the "Circle K" convenience store located in the 5700 block of Sycamore Canyon Boulevard, in the City of Riverside.

Officers from Riverside Police Department arrived on scene and located the victim employee, suffering from a single gunshot wound to his arm. The victim was transported to a local hospital with non-life threatening injuries, and is expected to survive.

Surveillance cameras at the business captured the incident, which showed the suspect enter the business and attempt to rob the business at gunpoint. When the victim was unable to open the register, the suspect physically assaulted the victim before shooting him once in the arm as he fled the store. Officers searched the area with the assistance of a Bloodhound; however were unsuccessful at locating the suspect.

Detectives from the Robbery – Homicide Unit and Specialists from the Forensics Unit responded to assume the investigation. After reviewing the video, Detectives believe



this suspect is the same person who has committed four similar robberies in the cities of Riverside and Moreno Valley. This suspect has been dubbed the "Silver Revolver Bandit". Below you will find photographs of the suspect in the commission of these robberies.

The Riverside Police Department is working collaboratively with the Riverside Sheriff's Department in attempting to identify and apprehend this armed and dangerous suspect. This investigation is ongoing and there are no other details available at this time. Detectives are asking for the public's assistance with identifying the suspect.

Anyone who may have information regarding the suspect's identity is encouraged to contact Riverside Police Detective Karla Corbett at (951) 353-7134 or [kcorbett@riversideca.gov](mailto:kcorbett@riversideca.gov) , or Riverside Sheriff Deputy Brian Sinclair at (951) 486-6816 or [bsinclair@riversidesheriff.org](mailto:bsinclair@riversidesheriff.org)

Those wishing to remain anonymous can email [rpdtips@riversideca.gov](mailto:rpdtips@riversideca.gov) or utilize the Riverside Police Department's mobile application "Submit a Tip" feature, referencing file number **180004321**.



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